

Carson City

Solid Waste Profile

LOCAL SOLID WASTE PLANNING:

Responsible Agency: Carson City Environmental Health Department

Plan Date: August 2, 2001

POPULATION AND SOLID WASTE TRENDS:

	1993	1995	1997	1999	2001	2003
Population	45,128	48,690	50,873	52,624	54,171	55,220
Municipal waste generated	66,162	108,067	106,046	83,458	76,250	73,852
Industrial/special waste disposed	64,622	32,890	49,455	105,182	151,964	129,083
Imported waste disposed	0	0	0	3	1	987
Recycling rate	6%	11%	17%	21%	20%	N/A
MSW generated/capita (lbs./day)	8.03	12.16	11.42	8.69	7.71	7.33

Notes: Data in tons as reported to NDEP, recycling rate = MSW recycled / MSW generated, population from NV State Demographer

ACTIVE MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE LANDFILLS:

Site Name	Owner/Operator	Landfill Class	Tons/day (2003)	Estimated Closure
Ormsby Landfill	Carson City	I, III	592	2016

SOLID WASTE/RECYCLABLES COLLECTION SERVICES:

Municipality	Hauler	Exclusive Franchise	Mandatory Collection	Collection Frequency	Curbside Recycling
Carson City	Capital Sanitation	Yes	No	weekly	bi-weekly

NUMBER of RESIDENTIAL RECYCLING DROP-OFF SITES for:

Office Paper	Card-board	News-paper	Al/Tin Cans	Glass	Plastics Btl. only	Yard Waste	Used Oil	Sites that accept 3 or more different types of materials
2	2	6	4	2	3	1	6	2

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION SERVICES:

Owner/Operator	Type of Service	Materials Accepted
Carson City/Env. Health	Drop-off by appointment	Used Oil, Paint, Pesticides, etc.
Carson City/Ormsby LF	Drop-off during business hours	Oil, Antifreeze, Vehicle batteries